



County of Los Angeles  
Department of Public Social Services

Bryce Yokomizo  
Director

May 9, 2002

TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Bryce Yokomizo, Director

**SUBJECT: CalWORKs CHILD CARE PROGRAM**

This is to provide you with continuing reports on enrollment rates and expenditures for CalWORKs subsidized child care as requested in your September 8, 1998 motion.

**Enrollment Rates and Expenditures**

Prior quarter data on the number of CalWORKs children receiving child care:

<u>Month</u>	<u>Stage 1 Children</u>	<u>Stage 2 Children</u>	<u>Stage 3 Children</u>	<u>Total Children</u>
10/2001	18,111	34,893	8,863	61,867
11/2001	18,643	34,747	8,679	62,069
12/2001	20,141	34,963	8,736	63,840

Child Care Expenditures for July 1, 2001 through December 31, 2001	
Stage	Amount of Expenditure
1	\$64 million
2	\$92.4 million
3	\$20.5 million

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**CalWORKs Stage 1 Child Care Retroactive Payments**

Beginning May 1, 2002, our new policy to limit CalWORKs Stage 1 Child Care retroactive payments took effect. As I advised your Board on March 19, 2002, this action was necessary to ensure that not only program integrity is maintained with more strident verification requirements but, also to enhance fiscal soundness by remaining within our program's budgeted allocation.

BY:np

c: Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors  
Chief Administrative Officer  
County Counsel  
Child Care Planning Committee